NONPROVISIONAL PATENT **APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL RULE §1.53(b)** IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title):

FIXATION UNIT, THERMAL FIXATION ROLLER, AND RECORDING

APPARATUS AND ITS MANUFACTURE METHOD

By (Inventors):

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24 pages of Specification/Claims 1-24/Abstract are attached.

Formal drawings (Figs. 1-5; 5 sheets) are attached.

A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.

An assignment of the invention to FUJITSU LIMITED is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.

冈 Priority of foreign application No. 2003-092147 filed March 28, 2003 in Japan is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.

A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is attached. \boxtimes

The filing fee is calculated below and includes claim status after entry of any Preliminary Amendment noted above:

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BASIC FEE			
TOTAL CLAIMS	24 - 20	= 4	
INDEP CLAIMS	10 - 3	= 7	
☐ MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS			

_	SMALL ENTITY		
	RATE	FEE	<u>OR</u>
		\$ 385	<u>OR</u>
	x 9 =	\$	<u>OR</u>
	x 43 =	\$	<u>OR</u>
	+145 =	\$	<u>OR</u>
	TOTAL	\$	<u>OR</u>

LARGE ENTITY		
RATE	FEE	
	\$ 770	
x 18	\$ 72	
x 86	\$ 602	
+290	\$	
TOTAL	\$ 1444	

A check in the amount of \$1,484.00 (\$1,444 for the filing fee and \$40 for the Assignment Recordation Fee) is attached. Please charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

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